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Emerson – The RCMP advised that the trailer encampment at the welcome center has been cleared out. Many of the large vehicles have been powered up and the RCMP anticipates a withdrawal of these vehicles and farm tractors over the next 6-8 hours. The RCMP received written correspondence from the protest leadership that essentially asked for written confirmation of the Premier's announcement last week in return for opening the blockade. RCMP are cautiously optimistic that a negotiated end to the blockade is imminent. See attached drone photos confirming the movement. Unfortunately, the Prime Minister's messaging around employment of the Emergency Measures Act has reached the Emerson protestors within the last hour and has caused the predicted negative impact on resolution. Justice has shared the Premier's press announcement with the RCMP in hopes this will moderate the situation. The next RCMP update will be at 14:30.

Winnipeg – WPS updated that they secured the departure of approximately half of the remaining vehicle owners. This withdrawal will take place over the next 12-24 hours as there are things like ACCO trailers that require equipment to move. See attached letter from some protest leaders that was posted a short time ago. WPS will let the transition take place and are currently planning the possibility of enhanced enforcement measures for remaining protestors if they cannot be negotiated to depart.

Mike